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Re: Study Cancellation with Butyl Methacrylate - TSCA 8(d)

On October 13, 1992, The Methacrylate Producers Association submitted a Study in Progress report for an Acute Eye Irritation/Corrosion Study (OECD) in Rabbits with Butyl Methacrylate.

Based on the results from two dermal studies conducted by E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Company, MPA has decided not to conduct the above referenced study. The referenced studies are a skin irritation study and an acute dermal lethality (LD50) study which were conducted with n-butyl methacrylate. In both of these studies, some of the rabbits exhibited skin irritation and a skin corrosive effect at the site of application several days post-exposure. The results of those studies were submitted to the Agency on November 1, 1992 as an 8(e) submission.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth K. Hunt
Executive Director

cc: MPA - Date Stamped Copy

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